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The Honorable Harold Brown
Secretary of Defense
Washington, D.C. 20301

Attention: Mr. John G. Kester
Special Assistant to the Secretary

Dear Mr. Secretary:

In connection with its investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of President Kennedy, the Select Committee on Assassinations requests access to all files and index references pertaining to the following individuals:

1. Maurice Bishop aka Morris Bishop, John Bishop, Jim Bishop, (fnu) Firgault. All of these names may be pseudonyms. The first name, i.e., Maurice Bishop, is a name allegedly used by this individual in Anti-Castro operations in the early 1960's. The last name (fnu) Firgault, was allegedly seen on a Belgian passport used by this individual in the late 1950's or early 1960's. The individual was, at that time, posing as a representative of an import/export firm. This individual has allegedly been associated with Antonio Veciana as late as 1971 when, it is alleged, he was involved with Veciana in a plot to assassinate Castro in Chile.

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Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

G. Robert Blakey

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